

THE HOWARD COUNTY COMMISSION FOR WOMEN
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Student Essay Contest 2015

TO COMMEMORATE AND HONOR

Women's History Month

“Weaving the Stories of Women’s Lives”

The theme for Women’s History Month 2015 — **Weaving the Stories of Women’s Lives** — presents the opportunity to weave some of the most poignant, life-changing journeys (individually and collectively) into the essential fabric of our nation’s history. Honoring and recounting tales of our ancestors’ talents, sacrifices, and commitments inspires today’s generations and opens the way to the future.

2015 also marks the 35th Anniversary of the Women’s History Movement and the National Women’s History Project. Essays may describe either a contemporary or historical American woman. The contest is open to all Howard County Maryland students — public, private or home-schooled — in grades six through 12. **Whose story will you share?**

Deadline for Submissions: January 23, 2015

Winners in each category will receive a \$200 Visa® Gift Card

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